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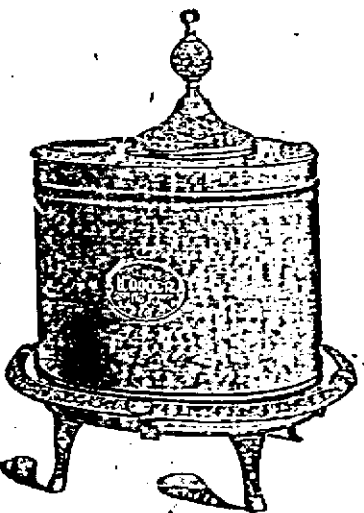
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CIRCUIT COURT.

The fall term of the circuit court for Outagamie county is now being held at the court house. The case of the State vs. Frank Schmid was called on motion of District Attorney. The State vs. John Millard, murder, being tried yesterday. Jury rendered verdict not guilty. All other cases on the calendar are scheduled for trial except the following: State vs. Chas. Shesler, called on motion of District Attorney. State vs. E. E. Brown vs. J. M. Scott, J. P. change of venue asked. Mike Sharpe et al. vs. Brown Bros. Lbr. Co., motion pending for continuance. Attorney H. F. Steele was admitted to practice in this court. M. W. Lloyd of Minocqua furnished bond to the amount of \$500. Following names were among the signers: John D. Ross, A. D. Dink, John O. Shoen, W. H. Bissell, Walter Alexander, G. S. Coon, A. O. Dorwin, P. Madden, W. E. Brown. The case of the State vs. Fred Peterson, assault, being armed with a gun, has been added to the printed calendar for this session.

THE POSTMASTERSHIP.

The fight for the postoffice is now on and will be fought to the bitter end, the bitter end for all but one candidate. The matter was brought to a head when it became whispered around Friday that Congressman Brown was out interviewing his old neighbors in regard to their choice for postmaster. The pot immediately commenced to boil, and the campaign was formally declared open. Now for the buttonholing, whispering and ear-splitting acts. It is the main topic of conversation on the street, and men who can hardly control their own vote are telling people what Congressman Brown ought to do, and why their particular candidate should be the man for him to recommend.

This postoffice fight is probably the hardest problem Congressman Brown has had to solve in his official career. This is his home city, his friends are here, and he wants to please them all in making the recommendation, but it can't be done. Any one of the four candidates now in the field that he may select will cause three factions to think they have not been fairly treated, and there isn't enough places to go around. The contest has warmed up to such an extent that a dark horse is being suggested on the street as a compromise, but it is probable a selection will be made from the four candidates now in the field. It is thought Congressman Brown will shortly announce who he will recommend when the vacancy occurs, so as to close the matter up.

NEW CITY DIRECTORY.

The J. H. Emery Directory Co. have representatives in the city who will shortly commence the work of getting up a complete city and county directory. The book will include the northern tier of townships in Lincoln county also, and a city directory of Tomahawk. In the rural districts it will give names, postoffice address, township, section, etc., and the amount of taxes paid by each farmer. The Emery Company have gotten out directories in a great many cities and the people they employ in getting the names are experienced in that line and the work will be thoroughly done. The selling of the advertisements will be under direction of W. H. Trumbull, who will also have charge of the distribution of the books. This city has long needed a good directory and this book will supply a long felt want.

A PLEASANT EVENT.

The informal dancing party given last Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Coon and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Parker at Gilligan's Hall was one of the most pleasurable social events of the season. About seventy-five couples assembled at half past eight and enjoyed dancing to the strains of the Military Orchestra. Delicious fruit punch was served during the evening by Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. Flynn. Nothing was left undone to make the evening pass pleasantly, and none but happy smiling faces were to be seen. Many very pretty gowns were worn. The festivities came to a close about one o'clock.

ANOTHER CARRIER PERHAPS.

Residents of the west side (log town) have made application for a mail delivery to Postmaster Parker. The matter was taken up with the postoffice department and Friday Mr. Parker received word that an inspector would be here shortly and look into conditions relative to the appointment of another carrier to cover this territory.

LUNCHEON NOT PUBLIC.

We regret that in last week's issue the notice read that the luncheon given by St. Augustine's Guild Thursday the 12th would be public. The services are public, but the luncheon is for the visiting clergy. The public is most cordially invited to the service.

REV. DIETZMAN TO LEAVE.

Rev. D. O. Dietzman, who has been pastor of the Free Methodist church in this city, and latterly county poor commissioner, has accepted the pastorate of the Free Methodist church at Richland Center, Wis., and with Mrs. Dietzman will leave for that place upon the completion of his term as poor commissioner. Mr. and Mrs. Dietzman have accomplished some excellent work at the poor farm and it seems to be the general sentiment of members of the county board to retain them, but owing to Mrs. Dietzman's health they have decided not to accept a reappointment. They have many friends in this city who regret their decision to seek other fields, and who hope they may return at no very distant date and take up their residence among us.

SERIOUS RUNAWAY.

Geo. Kelly and Ed. Markham while driving Kelly's well known horse "Joker", and when going down a steep hill, the harness broke, allowing the buggy to run down on the home. The horse became frightened and commenced to run. The occupants jumped, Kelly receiving severe injuries and Markham spraining his ankle and receiving other serious injuries. The horse left the road after the men jumped, going into the woods. He was found some time later with a fore leg broken near the shoulder and had to be killed. "Joker" had obtained quite a record at our county fairs and was a horse well known in this section.

LARGE WOODMEN MEETING.

The Modern Woodmen lodge of this city held a large meeting at their lodge rooms last Tuesday evening. Some very interesting work in the line of adopting new members taking place. Visiting members of the order from other towns were present and after the ceremonies French took charge of the balance of the program and the members enjoyed a repeat sit for a king. After a pleasant hour with cigars the members dispersed and visitors were heard to remark that Rhinelander lodge never did things by halves.

GOES TO PANAMA.

Mrs. G. A. Whitney received word from her husband at Christobal a day or so ago, stating that he had secured a house and to come to Panama soon as she could make the necessary arrangements. Mrs. Whitney will leave shortly. She will go to New York and sail from that point. Mr. Whitney likes it on the isthmus and will remain there about a year when he will be granted his annual leave of absence, and they will return to the states for a visit.

HOMEMADE RUGS.

On Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 22, at the home of W. D. Joslin, the ladies of St. Augustine's Guild will hold a sale of washable rugs suitable for sleeping rooms, bath rooms and kitchens. They also invite inspection of their canned fruits, preserves, jellies, pickles and home baking. Spentireck looks at ten and fifteen cents will also be on sale.

NEW CIGAR FACTORY.

W. J. Valley of Minocqua, who has been employed by R. C. Wasserberger at that place, was in the city Thursday looking for a location in which to start a cigar factory here. Mr. Valley has secured a place at 117 Stevens street opposite this office and will commence business shortly.

DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE.

The Weekly Milwaukee Journal will be sent one year to any person who will send 25 cents to The Journal Company before December 15th, and who will send at the same time a list of ten names of persons who do not read The Weekly Journal.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

A clerk-carrier examination will be held for positions in the Rhinelander postoffice on Nov. 18th in this city. The examination is open to all citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 years. For particulars call on or write the postmaster.

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THE GRIM REAPER.

Thopas Latrell, a brakeman on the Soo line, who was injured several days ago, died at the hospital in this city last Thursday afternoon. The body was taken charge of by Undertaker Hildebrand and shipped to Grand Rapids, Wis., the same night.

Frank Darby, employed on the Flambeau Lumber Co.'s logging road, was accidentally killed there last Saturday. The remains were brought to this city Monday and the funeral was held at the house, Rev. Evans of the M. L. Church officiating.

Gus Gonsky, aged 25, was killed Nov. 11th by falling from a logging train. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental death. The body was shipped to Rosholt for burial by Undertaker Hildebrand.

Mrs. Olof Olson died at St. Mary's Hospital in this city Saturday Nov. 14th, after an operation. Funeral services were conducted at the residence on Thayer street Monday by Rev. Carl Anderson of Oconomowoc. Deceased was a lady highly spoken of and leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

By Lucille Bishop.
All of the classes are reviewing this week for the examinations, which are Thursday and Friday.

The following program on Roman subjects was given yesterday by the remainder of the Juniors:

Essay—Roman Daily Life..... Vera Whiting
Reading—Horatius at the Bridge..... Winnie Vessey
Essay—Caesar..... Rose Rogers
Reading—Mark Anthony's Funeral..... Lillian Sullivan
Music—Piano Solo..... May Bonnie
Essay—Roman Warfare..... Lillian Sankar
Reading—Boudicca.....
Essay—Caesar..... Ray Sorenson
Reading—Cicero's De Officiis..... Helga Svedberg
Music—Piano Solo..... Una Reardon

REAL ESTATE CHANGES.

And, Hanson to Mrs. Mary Nelson, Wm. Bonack and Jas. Kennedy, trustees for Three Lakes Camp No. 124 and Maple Leaf Camp No. 238, Lot 1, Block 7, Campbell's subdivision of Block 1, Original plat of Three Lakes—\$150.

Wis. River Land Co. to C. A. Gesell, lands in Sec. 27, Tp. 28, R. 5 E—\$300.

H. N. Jewel to Geo. C. Jewel, Lot 1, Block 7, 1st Add.—\$50.

M. B. Kasel to Adam Hofstetter, lands in Sec. 8, Tp. 28, R. 11 E, and 5 acres in same Sec.—\$200.

Interior Land Co. to M. S. Cole, lands in Sec. 21, Tp. 33, R. 9 E—\$300.

W. B. Whipple to Joseph Hack, part of Lot 1, Block 4, Brown's 2nd Replat of MH Lots, Grand and 1st Replat of Block 6, Original plat—\$150.

Norah Stoffel to J. P. Selmer, lands in Sec. 16, Tp. 26, R. 6 E—\$100, etc.

Wm. Whitty to Herman Gruenke, Lot 10, Block 1, J. M. Krenan's Add.—\$700.

Leonard Horro to Edward Wheelan, Lot 5, Block 16, Original plat—\$200.

Arthur Taylor to Louis Wilhelm, Lot 8, Block 1, Brown's 2nd Replat, Lots C and D 1st Replat, Block 6, Original plat—\$200.

John Barnes and Matt Stapleton to William Daniels, SE of SW Sec. 26, Tp. 29, R. 9 E—\$450.

Anna C. Connors to Leo A. Bishop, Lot 5, Sec. 21, Tp. 29, R. 11 E—\$400.

FRANK E. LONG RETURNS.

Frank E. Long and his big company of players opens a week's engagement at Grand Opera House commencing Monday, Nov. 21. The company is headed by Mr. Frank E. and Miss Nana Sullivan supported by one of the best acting companies ever carried by this well known manager. The plays this season are all new, the costumes all new and costly, and all special scenery for each production. The business of the company this season is the largest ever done by this attraction and return dates have been made with every manager the company has played since it opened the first week in August. On Monday night the company will present "Lost and Won," a beautiful play carefully staged and presented by an all star cast.

The vaudeville features are all headliners and are presented between all acts. A special feature this season is Prof. Hall and his troupe of performing dogs, introducing waiting dogs, rope jumping dogs, clown dogs, ladder dogs and "Punch," the great somersault dog. These little fellows appear at each performance and are the pets of every one who sees them. One lady free Monday night with each paid 50 cent ticket. Seats on sale Saturday at box office of theatre.

TO SPEAK AT PRENTICE.

Rev. A. G. Wilson will deliver a lecture at Prentice next Monday evening under the auspices of the Congregational church of Prentice. His subject will be "The Making of a Twentieth Century Man." Mrs. Wilson will accompany him on the trip.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS
AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESULTS OF ELECTIONS.

New York re-elected Mayor McClellan by a plurality of between 3,000 and 4,000. Jerome was re-elected district attorney. Hearst claims fraud and will contest the election for mayor. The Weaver party carried Philadelphia by about 75,000 majority, while the republican candidate for state treasurer was defeated by a large vote. The result of the election for governor in Ohio is in doubt, with chances favoring Patterson, the democratic candidate. Republicans carried Chicago. Indianapolis elected a republican mayor. Massachusetts went republican by a large majority. The democrats elected their state ticket in Virginia and the city ticket in Louisville, while republicans were victorious in New Jersey, Rhode Island, Nebraska and Maryland. In the latter state the suffrage amendment, the alleged purpose of which was to disfranchise negro voters, was defeated.

W. R. Hearst has opened his contest of McClellan's election as mayor of New York. The court took all ballots and ballot boxes out of the police hands. Many lawyers have been engaged. A reward of \$15,000 is offered for proofs of election frauds.

The New York grand jury ordered indictments prepared for 12 persons accused of election frauds after listening to the evidence gathered by Attorney General Mayer. Arrests are expected, and Hearst declares he has evidence which should imprison several Tammany leaders.

W. R. Hearst has announced an additional reward of \$10,000 for evidence for the arrest, conviction and imprisonment of the first Tammany district leader to be convicted of frauds against the ballot in the election, making a total of \$27,000 offered by him as rewards for proof of crimes against election and registration laws.

Latest developments have cleared up the post election situation in Ohio considerably. Practically complete returns on the entire state ticket show all the republican candidates except for governor have been elected by substantial pluralities.

THE TURMOIL IN RUSSIA.

The Russian government in a communication to the Poles warns them that the attempt to gain autonomy will be crushed and declares that reforms will be withheld until the people bow to the czar's will.

Details of the recent outbreak in Russia only add to its horrors. It is shown that only a few towns in the empire escaped during the reign of terror. In Tomsk, Siberia, 600 persons were burned to death in a theater, and the "Black Hundred" and the police in Moscow butchered parading school children.

A massacre of Jews, similar to that which has occurred at Odessa, Kishinev and other centers, occurred at Ismail, Bessarabia. A mob marched through the Jewish quarter, killing every Jew who could be found. Dragnets were fired on the rioters, killing 42 and wounding 115.

Russian sailors and soldiers at Cronstadt in revolt fought a fierce battle in the streets in which at least 50 persons were killed and many times that number wounded.

All is quiet at Cronstadt. The mutinous sailors have all submitted and the leaders of several hundred have been deported from the island.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Turks and Tartars joined in a conspiracy to wage a holy war on all Christians in Russian Armenia.

Andrew Carnegie sent a check for \$10,000 to the committee in New York which is raising funds for the relief of the Jewish victims in Russia.

Prince Louis of Battenberg expresses annoyance at the misinterpretation of his remarks and declares he made no criticism of New York's defenses.

Michigan towns profit by a record-breaking \$2,600,000 peach crop. The farmers are rolling in wealth and are spending it like princes.

Ten football deaths to date bid fair to make the 1913 season a record-breaker for fatalities.

Major Johnson, of Cleveland, declares for Gov. Folk, of Missouri, as the next candidate for president.

Dr. Rev. Thomas Frederick Davies, D. D., LL. D., bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan, died of pneumonia at his home in Detroit. Bishop Davies was 74 years old.

Secretary Root is gradually changing the personnel of the state department office force, giving preference to men familiar with far east affairs.

The three-story office and warehouse building of the Virginia Packing company, near Richmond, Va., was totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$125,000.

The federal government is considering plans to fortify Chicago and other lake ports.

Ex-Gov. Horace Austin, of Minnesota, died at his home in Minneapolis. Death was the result of an operation. He was governor of Minnesota from January 9, 1870, to January 7, 1874.

Louis Fitzgerald, son of Gen. Louis Fitzgerald, was killed in Great Neck, L. I., by a train at the station.

George W. Lederer, 218, valuable racing stallion, the property of Sylvester Hilligoss, of Rush county, Ind., is dead of pneumonia. The horse was valued at \$5,000.

James Speyer, of New York, gave \$50,000 to Columbia university to found the Theodore Roosevelt professorship of American History in the University of Berlin.

James L. Orr, a Chicago descendant of King George IV. and Mrs. Fitzhugh, who is one of the heirs to a fortune of \$125,000,000, will push his claims at once.

Secretary Dossparne ordered a court-martial of Midshipman Morikweather for manslaughter in connection with the death of Cadet Hatch, killed by injuries in a fist fight.

Fire at Johnson City, Ill., destroyed nine business houses, causing a loss of \$75,000.

Coroner Scarborough, at Mount Vernon, O., finds that Stuart Pierson, the student at Kenyon college who met death on a railroad bridge while being initiated into a fraternity, was bound to the rails when killed by a train.

Gov. Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, has ordered an extra session of the Pennsylvania legislature to discuss a variety of reform measures.

A mob of 200 men broke into the jail at Henderson, Tex., and overpowered the officers, took out John Reece, Robert Askew and one other negro suspected of murder. They were hanged in the public square.

Dan Patch, the pacing champion, in an exhibition mile on the track of the Memphis Trotting association, lowered the world's pacing record without a wind shield by 1 1/2 seconds, covering the mile in 1:53 flat.

Athens, Ga., was visited by a disastrous fire, which wiped out a large cotton warehouse belonging to Deadwiler & Co., and more than 1,500 bales of cotton stored therein. Loss, \$50,000.

Edward G. Cunliffe, the express company's clerk who on October 9 stole \$101,000 from the Adams Express company's agency in Pittsburgh was sentenced to imprisonment for six years.

News has come from Mexico that the United States Steel company has purchased the famous Solid Iron mountain at Durango, the richest of its kind in the world.

One hundred and ten cottages with their contents were destroyed by a fire which swept Acton Park campmeeting grounds, 14 miles southeast of Indianapolis, Ind. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Germany plans to spend an immense sum in enlarging the country's navy. Chicago printing firms plan to remove plants from that city to escape labor difficulties.

Rev. John Z. Torgerson, who had married 15,000 couples, died at his residence in Chicago.

James H. Hyde will sell the furnishings of his Long Island home at auction and go abroad to live.

A brewing association has petitioned the president to discourage a prohibition clause in the constitution of the new states in the southwest.

Sir Chentung Liang-Cheng, Chinese minister to the United States, plead in an address in Chicago for fair play and less rigid restrictions in the exclusion of his people.

George W. Buttrick and William Jackson were burned to death in the city jail at Lake City, Ia., by a fire started by Buttrick.

Dun and Bradstreet report the week's volume of business strong with increasing tendencies in all lines.

The total yield of corn in the United States during 1913 is estimated at over 2,700,000,000 bushels.

Gen. Trepoth has been removed from the powerful position which he occupied, that of governor general of St. Petersburg and assistant minister of the interior.

President Hegeman, of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, admitted before the New York investigating committee that his company made campaign contributions in 1913.

Dependent through ill health, Miss Fannie Baltes, of Detroit, Mich., leaped to her death from the fifth story of the Boston store in Chicago.

New York supreme court dismissed the suit of John P. Platt to recover \$685,000 from Hazzak Elias, finding no evidence that the money was extorted by coercion.

The Ramona hotel, a three-story structure of 200 rooms, filled with eastern tourists, largely women and children, was destroyed by fire at San Luis Obispo, Cal. Loss, \$100,000.

Confession to the robbery of "100,000 worth of gems from fashionable New York homes in the last two years was made by Harold Prescott, a painter. His profit on pawning the jewelry, Prescott said, was but little over \$5,000.

Delegates of 14 southern states in conference at Chattanooga, Tenn., asked the federal government to take exclusive charge of quarantine regulations.

Gov. Folk, of Missouri, sent out instructions to all of the state mine inspectors to enforce the eight-hour law, which the United States supreme court in the Cantwell case recently declared constitutional.

Prince Louis of Battenberg says New York city would be at the mercy of a big naval fleet in case of war, and could be blown to atoms in a jiffy.

The date of the second peace conference at The Hague has been tentatively fixed for May next.

Military and naval garrisons at Rio Janeiro, Brazil, revolted against the government. Hundreds were killed in the streets. A warship threatened to bombard the city.

A gift of \$18,000 was presented to Trinity college in the city of Washington by the ladies' auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. Cardinal Gibbons being the recipient.

Five persons were killed, ten seriously injured and a score slightly hurt in a head-on collision between a passenger train and a coal train on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, near Wilkesbarre, Pa.

The Missouri superintendent of insurance revoked the license of the New York Life Insurance company because of alleged lobbying.

The Presbyterian foreign missionary board has issued a statement intimating that the recent murders of missionaries in Leuchow was in retaliation for treatment of Chinese in the United States.

Fire destroyed the new fire-story building of the Moore & Handley Hardware company in Birmingham, Ala., two adjoining buildings also being burned, the total loss being estimated at \$125,000.

Herman G. Norgaard, a member of the Clinton, Ia., school football team, died from an abscess of the brain, brought on by injuries received in a game at Harlan, Ia., two weeks ago.

It has been announced that a dividend of 50 per cent. would be paid creditors of the defunct Citizens' Savings bank of Lorain, O., which failed March 31.

H. C. Hauzer, at present charge d'affaires at Washington, has been appointed Norwegian minister at that capital.

The biggest shipment of potatoes that ever went east from California left Stockton for Texas, Arkansas and other Missouri river points. It consisted of a solid train of 35 cars, containing 3,450 sacks of potatoes, the aggregate weight being 1,131,000 pounds.

The federal grand jury, convened in St. Louis, returned an indictment against United States Senator Burton, of Kansas. It is stated that certain features in the former indictment against Senator Burton, which was quashed, were renewed in this new indictment.

Mrs. George Downe, aged 64, was frightened to death in a struggle with a burglar in her home at Washington, N. J.

W. O. Carpenter, a member of the firm of Carpenter, Cook & Co., wholesale grocers, died at Menominee, Mich. He left a fortune estimated at anywhere from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

Prince Louis of Battenberg and the squadron of British warships were given a royal welcome in New York.

The New York Life Insurance company obtained a restraining order in the United States court in St. Louis, temporarily setting aside the order of W. D. Vandiver, Missouri superintendent of insurance, preventing the company from writing new business in the state.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, O., has appointed a commission to prevent suicides. There have been 66 cases in that city in nine months.

Pig iron production in October was at a new high record, being in excess of 2,000,000 tons.

Utah Gentiles, encouraged by their success in the Salt Lake city election and the breaking of Smoot with the Mormon leaders, are laying plans to carry the state election.

Gen. Francis T. Sherman, a veteran of the war of the rebellion and postmaster of Chicago before the fire, died at his home in Waukegan, Ill., from dropsy, aged 73.

Controller of the Currency Ridgeley admits that the present system of national bank supervision is inadequate and cannot prevent embezzlement by dishonest officials. He blames directors for apathy.

Jews have appealed to President Roosevelt to take the lead in inducing the powers to intervene to check massacres in Russia. They plan to raise millions of dollars for relief work.

Chairman Shonts, of the Panama canal commission, derides enemies of the enterprise, and says work will be in July 1.

Attorney General Moody decided that Chicago packers are not immune from punishment on account of their voluntary testimony and ordered the cases to be pushed.

At the Vatican it is now considered very probable that the Most Rev. Francis Bourne, archbishop of Westminster, will be chosen as one of the high cardinals to be appointed at the next consistory.

King Edward celebrated his sixty-fourth birthday at Sandringham. Congratulatory telegrams poured in from all parts of the world. The usual salutes were fired and there were the customary celebrations in Great Britain and in the colonies.

The new Logan county court house, completed after three years' work, was dedicated at Lincoln, Ill., with ceremonies attended by several hundred persons. The structure cost \$250,000.

The rioting of the garrison of the Brazilian fortress of Santa Cruz, at Rio Janeiro was quickly suppressed, the soldiers surrendering to the authorities.

Frank Lucas, of Menominee, was murdered while driving along the state road north of Marinette, Wis., a rifle bullet entering his heart. The shot was fired by unknown persons from a clump of bushes near the road.

Government ownership of railroads and telegraphs, municipal control of public utilities and a general opposition to corporation rule are expected to be the democratic issues in 1913, as a result of the election.

Married less than a year, and after his first domestic quarrel, William Laweig, of Muscatine, Ia., blew his brains out in a slaughter house where he was employed. His young wife is prostrated because of his action.

Stanley Swatowski, aged 22, has been arrested near Knowlton, Wis., on the charge of killing his father. It is charged that the young man's father threatened his life with a large knife and in self-defense the boy shot him with a Winchester rifle.

Joseph Hughes, of Hamilton, O., former consul to Birmingham, England, has recovered a verdict of \$15,000 against Felix M. Warburg, a rich New York automobile maker who injured him.

Offer of \$1,000 reward may clear the mystery of the death of Mrs. Todd at Philadelphia.

President Roosevelt informed a delegation of residents of Oklahoma that he would recommend in his forthcoming message to congress single statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick has lost her last hope for a new trial unless the supreme court of the United States shall consent to allow a rehearing. The United States court of appeals at Cleveland, O., refused her application for a new trial.

Fifteen hundred dollars in bank notes, wrapped up in a bundle of papers, was found by Clarence Mason, a farmer living five miles southwest of Cambridge City, Ind. The money was concealed in a hollow stump. The papers wrapped about the money were identified as belonging to the recently robbed First national bank at Hagerstown.

The dead body of Lucien Eckhardt, aged 21 years, was found in an alley near the home of his fiancée, Miss Kate Burns, in St. Louis. He had been shot. It is not known whether he was murdered or committed suicide.

PLOT TO BLOW UP RUSSIAN RAILWAY

POWERFUL CHARGE OF DYNAMITE FOUND IN UNDERGROUND CHAMBER.

The Czar's Government Hastily Prepares for Repressive Measures—All Persons Considered Dangerous Are to Be Arrested.

Warsaw, Nov. 16.—In consequence of the discovery of plots to blow up the St. Petersburg & Berlin railway, all the railroads in Russian Poland are now guarded by the military. It was discovered yesterday that the railway between Warsaw and Tomasz was mined.

A powerful charge of dynamite had been placed in an underground chamber, which was to have been exploded under the first passing train. A short distance on the other side of Warsaw an infernal machine was exploded and destroyed the track, but the damage was discovered before a train arrived.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—For the purpose of restoring order and public security in the provinces chiefly affected by agrarian disorders, it has been decided to send to the provinces of Saratoff, Chernigoff and Tamboff aides de camp of the emperor with almost dictatorial powers.

They will not only have the right to report directly to the emperor, but also to supersede all local officials and take over complete control of affairs.

The instructions to the aides, which are published as an official communication this morning, instruct them with the direction of all troops and police in these provinces, subordinate to them all organs of government except the judiciary, direct them to discharge officials at their discretion, to arrest all persons considered dangerous to public security, to close all spirit shops, to suspend newspapers and other publications, and to take other measures necessary for public safety.

BOUND AND GAGGED.

Kenyon College the Scene of Another Outrage Following the Death of Young Pierson.

Gambier, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Bound hand and foot and gagged, left unconscious on the floor of his room in Hoxley hall Saturday night, James E. McGarvey, a student in the theological seminary of Kenyon college, was the victim presumably of the "unknown parties" mentioned by Coroner Searcy in his verdict as having tied Stuart Pierson to the railroad track.

The student body is much aroused over the assault and is aiding Sheriff Clements and the Mount Vernon police in investigating it.

It is believed that McGarvey gave the information to the corner which led him to render the verdict in the Pierson case, as a not placed to his stomach by his assailants contained these words:

"This will do for this time, but if we come again it will be worse."

McGarvey was found helpless in his room shortly before midnight Saturday.

Stabbed at Mass.

Latrobe, Pa., Nov. 16.—While engaged in the celebration of mass at St. Rose's Catholic church at Bradenaville, Sunday, Father Shea, the aged pastor, was attacked by John Ravonick, and stabbed in the chest.

Ravonick, who was intoxicated, was swearing and disputing with members of the congregation, when he was approached by the pastor, who tried to quiet him and failing, attempted to eject him. Father Shea went down from the altar to reconstrue with him, when he suddenly drew a stiletto and stabbed him in the breast, cutting across the heavy vestments, which caused the blade to glance aside and doubtless reach the priest's life.

Prisoners Burn.

Lake City, Iowa, Nov. 16.—George W. Buttrick and William Jackson set fire to the jail Sunday afternoon and were burned to death.

The two, together with John Hipple and Isaac Allen, had been arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct. Buttrick and Jackson were placed in a cell and the other two were left in the corridor.

A yell was heard from the corridor that the men were trying to break the jail on fire. The marshal arrived in time to let out those in the corridor, but Buttrick and Jackson were a mass of charred flesh before they could be rescued.

Carl is Elected.

Christiania, Nov. 16.—At 2 o'clock this morning the returns of the plebiscite were still incomplete but no change in its main features are now possible. The returns from 415 constituencies show 239,415 votes in favor of Prince Carl of Denmark as king of Norway and 67,731 against him. The Republicans expected to poll 33 per cent of the votes, but only obtained 21 per cent.

No Land Sold.

St. Paul, Nov. 16.—Not a parcel of land was sold at the state tax sales in Freeborn and Kittum counties. These two counties are the only ones who have reported so far of about sixty counties that held sales last week, of lands that had been forfeited to the state and not redeemed within the three years which the law permits their redemption.

Each of the counties had about 100 descriptions to offer, but the county auditors of both counties reported that not a parcel had been sold.

Good Seed Content.

Hamlin, Nov. 16.—A good seed content has been announced by the Minnesota school of agriculture, designed to help in achieving the double increasing the yield of grain in the state in practical and successful farming and increasing the yield of grain in the state. Prizes amounting to \$2,500 will be given, and pupils of rural schools will be eligible to the contest. They will be the county superintendent. Wheat, oats and corn will be the seeds to be contested for, and contestants may choose either or all.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS.

Demand Inheritance Tax. Madison.—The state of Wisconsin is preparing to make a campaign for the collection of inheritance taxes alleged due the state, and as soon as all the preliminaries are arranged, it is said that vigorous action will be taken. Judge H. S. Comstock, special claim agent of the state, has been looking up the laws and penalties on the subject and believes the state can enforce the collection of a large amount of money that has escaped taxation since the law went into effect. It is said a number of well-known attorneys of the state have been appointed to assist in the investigations and prosecutions that will probably be made.

Many Take Agricultural Course. Madison.—The students registered in the long course in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin number 133, an increase of 55 per cent. Of these Wisconsin furnished 106; Illinois 14; Indiana 2; Iowa 1; California 1; Georgia 1; Mexico, 2; Philippine Islands 2; Argentina 2; and Chile 1. Among the graduate students is one from Copenhagen and another from London. The dairy school started on November 1 with an attendance of 142 the first day. The short course in agriculture, designed to give practical instruction to the young farmers of the state, starts on December 2.

School Boards Swindled. Madison.—At least ten school boards in Outaunue county have been victimized by school chart sharks, who have visited here during the last week. Charters valued at five dollars were sold for \$1.50 each. The crooks represented themselves as being agents of Superintendent of Schools Cary, and before visiting the schools sent letters to the members of the boards saying that a state law provides that every rural school must be equipped with a chart outlining the study of agriculture.

Accid Ends Woman's Misery. Racine.—For four years Catherine Oliva has been an inmate of the Racine county poorhouse suffering with asthma, and during that time she secretly carried a bottle filled with carbolic acid on her person. Often she had said that if the ravages of the disease became worse and caused her more suffering she would end her life. Recently she carried out the threat. Her dead body was found in a room and beside her was the bottle, drained of its contents.

Accidentally Killed. Superior.—S. N. Dickinson, one of the best known lawyers of Wisconsin and one of the most prominent residents of this city, accidentally shot and killed himself while cleaning a rifle. Although past 70 years of age, Mr. Dickinson was still active in his profession and also as a huntsman and angler. He was making preparations for a hunting trip when the accident happened. Mr. Dickinson was one of the pioneers of this city, having come here from Sparta, Wis.

The News Condensed.

Sheboygan.—Sheboygan probably has the oldest hunter in the state. In Charles Cain, aged 80 years, who will go north for the deer hunting. He is still hale and hearty, and looks much younger than his years. He has hunted deer for many years.

Kenosha.—The big soda mill of the Larkin & Rand power plant, at Pleasant Prairie, near here, was destroyed by fire. A Russian workman was injured.

Janesville.—Webster Peters while hunting rabbits kicked a log to dislodge a rabbit and revealed a load of Indian relics.

Wausau.—State Senator James A. Wright and M. W. Lloyd, a timber estimator, were held jointly by a coroner's jury for the death of Col. J. A. McKay, at Minocqua. McKay was shot during a political quarrel between Lloyd and Wright.

La Crosse.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the landing of the Hebrew race in this country will not be celebrated by the Jews of La Crosse county and western Wisconsin because of the massacres of the race in Russia.

La Crosse.—An Auto Rapid Transit company has been organized here for the purpose of engaging in a passenger, freight and auto livery business.

Milwaukee.—Arthur Stuart, aged 17, is in jail on a charge of attempting to shoot his mother. The boy is under probation in the juvenile court. Becoming angry at his mother because she told him to give up going hunting and go to work, he turned the gun on her, a few of the shot, causing painful wounds.

Elroy.—James Neff, aged 162, is dead. He was the oldest man in Juneau county.

Milwaukee.—Fred M. Hunter, of Chicago (colored) was convicted of the murder of Paul Langen September 2, and will be given a life sentence in state prison. He was charged with shooting Langen, who awoke while the negro was burglarizing his house.

Milwaukee.—The democratic state central committee elected H. H. Manson, of Wausau, chairman, to succeed A. F. Warden, who has left the state.

Sheboygan.—Frank M. Corbett, cheese manufacturer, failed because he put a \$150 check in an old coat and forgot it. After he was declared bankrupt his wife found the bills, which would have been enough to have saved him.

La Crosse.—Arising from the family table and joking, Peter Williams, a farmer living near Sparta, went to the barn and hanged himself. No cause is known.

New Richmond.—Friends of Paul Turner, aged 80, a retired farmer in Alden, Polk county, will endeavor to secure a Carnegie medal for his daring rescue of two grandsons, aged three and four years, from the icy river.

Vinaland.—Thirty head of fall-bred Guernsey cattle out of a herd of 53 belonging to Albert Hinman, of this city, have been found to be suffering with tuberculosis.

Milwaukee.—With both legs and one arm torn off and his skull fractured, Charles Schoewe, 12 years old, lived for three hours after he had been struck by a train.

The Wealth and Progress of Our Great Southland

Disse New Has Industrial Class Added to Man with Hoe and Aristocrat—An Evolution, Not a Revolution.

The northerner making a flying trip through the south, getting his impressions very largely from what he is able to view from a car window, is apt to give the country an ill name. Judge it "warm and poverty-stricken." He should, he do dilate on superficial impressions, get at facts. We call to his attention an editorial in the Chicago Record-Herald:

"Reference has been made in these columns to the leadership of our southern states in the production of cotton, and it is not surprising to find the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, regarding the export figures of the past fiscal year with complacency. Among exports exclusively from the south it includes: Cotton, \$79,965,014; cottonseed oil, \$15,125,802; cottonseed cake and meal, \$13,597,178; naval stores, \$16,106,612; phosphates, \$5,866,274. This makes a total of \$151,550,911, and that alone was nearly one-third of all our domestic exports. But, besides the articles named, the south exports other products which it raises or manufactures in connection with other parts of the country—timber, tobacco, petroleum, cotton goods, provisions, grain, coal, cattle, fruits, iron and steel, wood-manufactures, leather—and its share of such exports is roughly estimated at \$133,000,000. Hence a total of \$184,550,900, or 41 per cent of the value of all the exports of the country.

"The figures prove the wealth of southern fields, and unquestionably received by the mill operatives, we must, we picture a state of abject poverty, take into consideration the fact that almost all of the necessities of life are to be had to the south at a much lower price than in the north. The tenement system down there, each family lives by itself, about the cottage has a bit of ground where much of the living may be raised at practically no outlay of money. The mill companies often getting their ground for nothing, the former owners glad to favor the valuable new industry, can afford to provide the half acre about the cottage of the tenant mill-worker. As a rule, the mill towns are laid out with care for the comfort of the residents, with attention to hygienic conditions. They have school houses, churches, recreation grounds, not infrequently gas and waterworks. There is not the huddling characteristic of a northern mill town, but a combination of country air with some desirable city advantages.

The great iron fields of the southern Appalachian system have been opened up. The growth of this industry was marked as early as 1890, which year the yield of pig iron was 1,700,000 tons as compared with the 184,000 tons of 1870. The "Manufacturers' Record" of Baltimore gives, in tabulated form, some interesting information on the changes occurring after the south de-

PECK'S BAD BOY WITH THE CIRCUS

By HON. GEORGE W. PECK

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The Bad Boy Begins a Diary—Dad Has Become Manager for a Circus—The Bad Boy Expects to Carry the Hyena and Do Stunts on the Trapeze—Ma Says Pa Will Ogle the Circus Beauty—Pa Says Some Circus Clothes and Lets His Whiskers Grow.

April 10, 1934.—I never thought it would come to this, that I should keep a diary, because I am not a good little boy. Nobody ever keeps a diary except a boy that wants to be an angel, and with the angels stand, or a girl that is in love, or an old maid that can't catch a man, unless she writes down her emotions and leaves them around so some man will read them, and swallow the bait and not feel the hook in his gills, or a truly good bank cashier, who teaches Sunday school, and skips



And Pa Swatted Her on the Back.

out for Canada some Saturday night, after the bank closes, and on Monday morning they find the combination of the lock on the safe changed, and when they hire a reformed burglar to open the lock the money is all gone with the cashier. Those are the only people that ever kept a successful diary.

But I had to promise Ma that I would keep a diary, so she could read it, or I never could have got her consent for me to go with Pa on the road with a circus. All Ma asks of me is to tell the truth about everything that happens to me and to Pa during the whole summer, and I have consented, and I can see my fault, and Pa's fault, and Ma's fault, and the fault of the circus that is going to take us along.

See, but we have had a hot time at our house since Pa and I got back from our trip abroad. I brought Pa back in better health than he was when we went away, but he has got so accustomed to excitement that I knew something would be doing pretty soon, so I was not surprised when he told us at the breakfast table that he supposed he should have to go and travel with a circus this summer.

Ma looked at Pa as though she wanted to call the police, and an ambulance to take him to the emergency hospital. He looked at Ma and said: "I know you will think I am nutty, but for almost ten years I have had

time of life? For if you do I can never live to witness any such performance."

Pa was calm, and did not fly off the handle, but he just said, kindly: "Mother, you have vague ideas of the duties of the owners of a circus. The owners hire performers to do stunts, and break their necks, while we manage them, and take in the shekels from the Reubens who come into town on circus day. We proprietors touch the button, and the actors and animals do the rest. I shall be a director who directs, a man who sets a dignified and pious example to the men and women who adorn the profession, coming as they do from all climes, and your Pa will be the guide, philosopher and friend of all who belong to the grandest aggregation of talent ever gathered under one canvas, at one price of admission, and do not fall to witness the concert which will be given under this canvas after the main performance is over."

Ma looked at Pa pretty savage, and said: "O, I see, you are going to be a ringmaster, but what is to become of Henny and me while you are cracking your whip around the hind legs of the fat woman, and ogling the Circus Beauty?"

Pa put his hand on my head and said: "Mother, Henny will go with me, to see that I do not get into any trouble as a circus financier and general manager of the menagerie and the Wild West aggregation, and Henny will be in the great three-ring circus, and you can stay home and give us

absent treatment for what ails us, and pack the money I shall send you in bales with a hay press, and put it in cold storage till we come back in the fall. It is settled, we go to conquer, and the world will lay at our feet before the middle of August, and you will be a proud woman to own a husband who will be pointed at as the most successful amusement purveyor the world has ever witnessed, and a son who will start in at the bottom round of the circus ladder and rise, step by step, until he will stand beside the great Barnum."

Ma thought seriously for a few minutes, and then she said: "O, Pa, if it was anything but the circus business you and Henny went into, like selling soap or being a bank defaulter, or something respectable, I could look the neighbors in the face, but of course if there is money in it, and you feel that the good Lord has called you to the circus field, and you will see that Henny does not stay out nights, and Henny will promise to see that you put on a clean collar occasionally, and you will promise me that you will not let any of those circus women in spangles make eyes at you, I will consent to your going with the circus, just this once, as the doctor has advised that you lead an active life, and I guess you will get it traveling with a circus, for it nearly killed me that time I took Henny to see the animals, and the tent blew down, and we got separated, and the

menagerie tent, the animals will paw and bellow, like a drove of cattle that smell blood. Pa is going to wear a sack coat with his outfit, so as to look tough, and he wouldn't hear to Ma when she tried to get him to wear a frock coat. He said a frock coat was all right in society or among the crowned heads, but when you have to mingle with lions and elephants one minute, that would snatch the tail off a coat and chew it, and the next minute you are mixed up with a bunch of freaks or a lot of bareback riders or trapeze performers, you have got to compromise on a coat that will fit any climate, and not cause invidious remarks, whatever that is.

I will have to stand up beside the giant once in awhile, to show the difference in the size of men, and at other times I will have to stand beside the midgets, and look like a giant myself. We are all packed up, and in two days we start for the winter quarters of the show, to pound it into shape for the road. By ginger, I can't hardly wait to get there, and I see Pa boss things.

ing of the wild beasts, and the plaudits of the multitude of jays and jayesses, and it will be like one grand circus day spread all over the summer and fall. He says he wants me to learn the circus business from the ground up, from the currying of the hyenas with a currycomb and brush, to going up into the roof of the tent on the trapeze and falling into the net, while the audience faints with excitement. I asked Pa if he wanted me to keep on playing tricks on him while we were on the road, and he said he had got so used to my tricks that he couldn't live without them, and he didn't want me to let a chance escape to make him have a good time.

April 11.—Ma and Pa have had several discussions about what kind of a position it is going to leave her in, among the neighbors, for Pa and I to go off with a circus, and Ma wanted to withdraw from the church, and board up the windows of the house, and make folks think we had gone to the seashore, but Pa convinced her that we would have preaching in the main tent every Sunday, and he says there is no more pious lot of people on earth than those who travel with a circus, and then Ma wanted to go along. She said she could do the mending of the long socks that the women wear when they ride bareback, but we had to shut down on Ma's going with the show, cause we never could have any fun with a woman to look after. Pa says nowadays the men and women who ride on bareback horses in the ring dress in regular evening costume, the women with low-neck dresses, and long trains, and the men with swallow-tail coats and patent leather shoes, and they are as polite as dancing masters.

We have compromised with Ma, and she is to meet the show at Kalamazoo and go with us to Kankakee and Keokuk until she is overcome by nervous prostration, when we shall have her go home. Pa thinks Ma would last about two days with the show, but I guess if she took a course of treatment with peanuts and red lemonade one afternoon and evening, she would want to throw up her job, and go back home in charge of a stomach specialist.

Well, Pa showed up at the house in his circus clothes, this afternoon, and he certainly is a peach. Pa has been letting his chin whiskers grow for about six weeks, and to-day he had them colored black, and he looks as though he had swallowed the blacking brush, and left the bunch of bristles outside, on his chin. He looks fierce. Then, he has got a new brand of silk hat, with a wide, curling brim, and he has had a vest made of black and blue check goods, the checks as big as the checks on a checker board, and a pair of pants that look like a diamond-back rattlesnake, and he has got an imitation diamond stud in his white shirt that looks like a paper weight.

Ma wanted to know if there was any law to compel Pa to dress like that, cause he looked as though he was a gambler or a train robber. Pa says that a circus proprietor has got to look different from anybody else, in order to inspire fear and respect on the part of the hands around the show, as well as the audiences that flock to the arena, and he asked Ma if she didn't remember old Dan Rice, and old John Robinson. Ma didn't remember them, but she remembered Barnum, because Barnum lectured on temperance, and she said she hoped Pa would emulate Barnum's example, and Pa said he would, and then he took a watch chain with links as big as a trace chain and spread it across his checkered vest, from one pocket to the other, with a life-size gold elk hanging down the middle, and Ma almost had a convulsion.

See, but if Pa wears that rig in the menagerie tent, the animals will paw and bellow, like a drove of cattle that smell blood. Pa is going to wear a sack coat with his outfit, so as to look tough, and he wouldn't hear to Ma when she tried to get him to wear a frock coat. He said a frock coat was all right in society or among the crowned heads, but when you have to mingle with lions and elephants one minute, that would snatch the tail off a coat and chew it, and the next minute you are mixed up with a bunch of freaks or a lot of bareback riders or trapeze performers, you have got to compromise on a coat that will fit any climate, and not cause invidious remarks, whatever that is.

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VICTIMS OF THE FAMILY.

Having Made a Fortune, This Old Man Is Now Under Discipline.

Every morning at nine o'clock precisely an old gentleman, walking with the aid of a stout cane, enters a saloon and takes a seat in a corner where he is comparatively safe from observation, says the New York Press. The bartender, without asking questions, carries to him a cigar and a drink of whiskey, and the old gentleman smokes and sips in apparent contentment. Just before the cigar is finished he takes another drink. Then he walks slowly down to Riverside drive and sits in a shady spot until lunch time, when he enters a fine mansion near by and is seen no more until the following morning.

"That's a funny case," said the bartender, as the old gentleman went out after his customary cigar and drink. "He's a retired banker and lives in luxury. He has a large family and they have everything they wish for. But the old man is looked upon as a sort of necessary evil about the house. He is not permitted to smoke in the house, and as for drinking—why, any member of the family would have a fit if they saw anything of an alcoholic nature on the premises."

"Now that he has made the money which supports them, they relegate the old man to the rear, and he is at that age where he hasn't spirit to rebel. So he comes in here every day and 'sneaks' his drink and smoke and goes back home contented. Ain't that a queer world?"

DASTARDLY PLOT OF SWINDLERS FOILED

Scheme to Rob Girl and Brother of Valuable Texas Oil Land Is Baffled.

YOUNG WOMAN WINS HUSBAND AS REWARD

Kidnaped by Arch-Enemies and Taken to Deserted Cabin—Her Desperate Fight with Wolves—Rescued in Nick of Time by Brother and Comrade.

Only the caution and extreme courage of an innocent and inexperienced young girl foiled the most dastardly plot ever concocted by scheming land sharks and saved herself and brother oil property in Texas, worth a king's ransom.

The story of the merciless rascals, the kidnaping of the girl, her desperate fight with wolves in a deserted house and the timely rescue by her brother and lover has only just recently been made public and reads strangely in fiction.

The trio of arch swindlers implicated in the plot tried by every method their scheming minds could conjure to defraud the girl of her land. They determined to use force as a last resort, but their well-laid plans were sadly spoiled and they were thankful to escape with their lives.

Seek Heirs for Property. The trio of swindlers in question were for a short time engaged in making an abstract of titles of Liberty county, Texas. While working in this business they made an interesting discovery. They found 50 acres of land, in sight of flowing wells, that were worth millions, which belonged to the heirs of one Whit Bardeline. Thoroughly posted as to the value of such property, the firm of Smart & Hermoligue at once instituted a search for the owners of the valuable land. The trio saw wonderful possibilities in the game they had in hand. There were many ways to manage the affair in order to secure possession of the land. If the heirs could not be found there would be plain sailing.

It happened that there were other people looking for these same heirs, and it was not long before one of them at least was surely discovered. An old lawyer by the name of Buckingham Sark, who lived in one of the San Jacinto thickets, had known Whit Bardeline, and when he saw armies of excited prospectors boring holes into the earth and oil spouting in streams toward the skies he began to look around for the children of his old neighbor. Whit Bardeline had died of malarial fever and his body was lying, where oil was flowing the richest. Mr. Sark was aware of this fact, and later he learned that the fragile mother

with poverty. He had been forced to practice law, he said, "for bread," and having no sense of honor or the elementary rudiments of his profession, he had barely escaped the penitentiary. As a reductio and a bear hunter he had proved eminently successful, but he longed to be rich. Now that fortune had knocked at his door, he determined to leave no stone unturned until he could walk with the oil millionaires and be one of them altogether. While his head was swimming with these great ideas he was approached by a well-dressed little man, who asked a few questions, and at once proceeded to make himself a pleasing and interesting acquaintance.

Smart, of the firm of Smart & Hermoligue, had stumbled upon a valuable find. In less than two minutes he had learned that Maj. Sark knew a great deal about the land and the heirs of Whit Bardeline, and he invited him to visit the office of his firm. In this office the old bear hunter was treated with princely cordiality. Drinks flowed freely, and Maj. Sark was disarmed and every fact in his memory was laid bare to the eager, conscienceless capacities of a trio of the smoothest sharks that ever scented oil.

Maj. Sark left the office of his newly discovered friends with \$100 in his pocket and instructions to find the heirs of Whit Bardeline. He slept and then caught a train. Smart took a train and then slept.

After arriving at Caldwell, in Burleson county, Tex., it did not take the blundering old lawyer long to secure valuable information.

Two of the Bardeline heirs were still alive. Miss Choice—a young woman nearly 20 years of age—was easy to find. She lived with one of her relatives in the suburbs of the town. Sam Bardeline, who was two years younger than his sister, had gone to New Mexico with a herd of cattle.

A little inquiry revealed to the agent of the operators in the oil lands that he was searching for a popular, handsome and intelligent young woman. Miss Bardeline was the belle of the town. She had won the old name of "Choice" when she was an infant through the admiration of relatives,

startling sums that were being paid for little slices of real estate within sight of the old cabin where she had spent the happy days of her childhood.

Heirless Belegged by Oil Sharks. The interview did not end in a way to please the agent of Smart & Hermoligue, but he was promised another. Miss Bardeline talked with her friends, and after listening to Maj. Sark again she concluded to take her old Aunt Polly with her and visit the oil field. Aunt Polly was an old negro woman who had nursed Miss Choice in her infancy. This move did not please Maj. Sark. He had hoped to secure a power of attorney to act for the rich heiress. The young woman arrived at Humble at a time when the excitement was at fever heat. New strikes were being made every day. Gushers were spouting fortunes into the air, and men could not be secured to tank the streams of wealth that were running to waste. Capitalists were eager to buy land close to the gushers, and when it became

trail. "This is the place," said the major. "Impossible!" exclaimed the frightened girl. "Why, no one lives here." The major was busy at once unshackling his horses. "Go into the house," he said, "I will take the horses to water and be back in a few minutes." The women exchanged glances. Tears of fright came into the eyes of the girl. "Aunt Polly," she said, "we are trapped."

"No, dey won't, honey. I ain't 'fraid of dat ole man, 'I'll break his neck if he goes to foolin' wid my chile." Women Battle with Wolves. Night came and darkness came, but Sark did not return. The wolves began to howl, and the hungry packs drew nearer and nearer, until the trembling girl could see the glaring eyes and white teeth of the snarling beasts. "They will eat us up," cried Choice. "No, you jes set still, chile. I is got de neck yoke here and a big stick. Wolves ain't awful cowards. We can keep 'em off."

Choice stood up on the seat, and



known that one of the Bardeline heirs was in the field the excitement rose to a pitch of frenzy.

Choice was soon discovered. Eager land buyers, mopping the sweat from their brows, thrust \$20 gold pieces into old Polly's hands, begging her to grant them an interview with her mistress.

Desperate Plot Laid. All sorts of methods and stratagems were resorted to by the sharks to force the young girl to make a deal, but

when a wolf sprang at her she struck him over the head with the big stick. Time and again the vehicle was attacked, and while the brave old negroess was battling with the mad animals in front, the girl was wielding her club with desperation and valor.

The bed of the vehicle was full of cats and hay. The negroess struck a match and dropped it into the dry straw. Sizzling flaming tangles she threw them among the howling wolves. "Throw fire, Miss Choice," she shouted. "We must jump out and run to the house." The quick-witted girl caught the meaning of old Polly's words and actions and she sprang from the flaming carriage, scattering brands of fire as she ran. Polly followed close after her. They sprang through the door of the cabin, with the yelping pack at their heels. Polly quickly barred the doors and windows.

Villains Demand Girl's Signature. For hours while the wolves howled the faithful old negroess sat with the white girl's head against her bosom. Over and over they wondered why they had been brought to such a place.

At dawn the question was answered. The cabin door was forced open and three men entered the room. One of them was Maj. Sark and another was Hermoligue.

After looking at them for a few moments, while tears streamed from her eyes, the frightened young girl said: "Are you going to murder me?"

"Not at all," said Sark. "On the contrary, we intend to treat you with the utmost kindness, and only detain you a few days, provided you will sign a little document."

"Spare my life," said the terror-stricken young girl. "I am ready to sign anything, if you will let us leave this dreadful place."

"It will take us about three days to make the deals we have in view. But during that time you shall have everything, and be treated with kindness." It was the intention of the villains to secure a power of attorney signed by Miss Choice for Maj. Sark to act in her stead. They could then return to the oil field and sell the land in slices while the excitement was at fever heat.

Rescued by Brother and Lover. The robbers made no effort to conceal their plot from their helpless victim. "Don't be downhearted," said Hermoligue. "We will leave you a little fortune when we have harvested a few millions." He was approaching the trembling girl with the power of attorney in his hands. "Just sign here, please."

The door fell with a crash and Hermoligue felt himself seized by the collar and hurled against the wall. Maj. Sark was thrown into the fireplace, and the notary was knocked senseless. "O, my brother!" shrieked Choice. "You have saved me from being murdered!"

"And, bless God, Miss Choice, here is your sweetheart," said Polly. "Here is Mr. Bob Warren, come to kill dese bad men."

"Tell us quick, Choice," shouted Sam Bardeline, "what does all this mean?" The girl had her arms about her brother's neck, and while she was telling what had happened the rascals were escaping into the woods. When Bob Warren had heard enough to prove that the scoundrels had intended to rob his sweetheart he ran out and shot one of Maj. Sark's rascals. The rightful heirs found no difficulty in gaining possession of the valuable land and then gold began to come their way in showers, and Bob Warren won a heart of gold.



The Door Fell with a Crash and the Rescuers Entered.

had passed away after leaving the country and that all the children but two had finally yielded to the germs of the fatal malaria that they had carried from the lowlands. These two were living with relatives in Burleson county, according to the best information that could be collected by Maj. Sark.

Schemers' Eyes Opened. The old lawyer visited the oil field. There he saw things that caused him to open his eyes wide and made him assume youthful airs. He heard men talking of millions as his neighbors talked of dollars. Here was a well worth \$100,000, and there was one that had just been sold for half a million. Before his eyes was a acres of land that he had once seen exchanged for an old blind horse and a saddle that was now being sold by the foot. It took a capitalist to own as much as one could cover with a saddle blanket. The successful operators were working right up to the line of the tract that belonged to the heirs of Whit Bardeline.

Maj. Sark remembered that this land had once been sold for two dollars and he recalled that when Bardeline was forced to leave the country on account of sickness in his family and poverty, it was in vain that he sought a buyer.

This region of country, almost in sight of Houston, had been unsettled for years. Settlers avoided the level prairies and the thickets of the San Jacinto as if the land were haunted or a pestilence hung over the place. At one period Bardeline had offered to trade his possessions for a yoke of old steers, a cart and a mule as means and effects that offered some hope of escaping the poverty stricken region. The old major was well acquainted

who called the pretty little girl the "choice of the flock." Maj. Sark turned his footsteps in the direction of the residence of Mrs. Fannie Bates, the old aunt with whom Miss Bardeline lived. Sure of accomplishing his purpose, he already counted himself a capitalist and an oil king. Reaching the front gate, he was rubbing his hands together and whispering to himself: "Then fellows will have to pay me well for this fine piece of strategy."

Girl Refuses to Be Duped. Choice came to the front door, and the major introduced himself.

"I am Choice Bardeline," said the young woman.

Maj. Sark discovered that another man occupied a chair in a corner of the room he entered, and while he was rubbing his eyes and trying to find why the stranger had a familiar appearance, the young woman said: "Mr. Sark, permit me to introduce you to Mr. Smart, from the Humble oil fields."

The major stood staring with his mouth wide open. Repeated efforts to express his surprise resulted in failure—the words stuck in his throat. When Choice retired from the room Smart whispered: "I can't do a thing with her. I will leave as soon as she comes back. Do your level best. Get a quitclaim deed or a power of attorney. There are millions in this deal."

They failed. One day Maj. Sark dropped a spark amongst the factors that were disturbing the mental equilibrium of the inexperienced girl which rapidly grew into a mountain of regrets. He said: "Oil flows do not go on forever. The wells often suddenly cease to spout. They burn out or blow out. The field is exhausted. Then the land is not worth five cents an acre."

Choice shivered as if she had an ague. Running to old Polly she cried in anguish: "O! why didn't I take all that gold?"

The shrewd old major saw the effect of his spark and he ran to Smart & Hermoligue with the information. They did not have the gold, but they were rich in villainy. The major remembered that the young woman had a distant relative named Carroll who lived in the San Jacinto bottoms ten miles away, and that the had once expressed a desire to visit the old man and his family. He at once went to Miss Choice with a lie that had been invented by Smart. He told the perplexed young woman that he had just heard from her relative, Mr. Carroll, and that the old man had sent an invitation for Miss Choice to visit his family. "He would have come for you, but he is not well," said the major.

"I will go at once," said the disturbed girl.

The route was difficult. Nearly a whole day was spent winding about through thickets and swamps of the San Jacinto bottoms. They traveled in a light vehicle drawn by two horses, the major occupying the front seat, while Choice and old Polly rode behind. A little before dark they came upon a cabin by the side of a dim

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It is said that State Senator Frost of Hudson, has his aspirations set toward Congressman Jenkins's place.

Senator Frost is a good man, and for that matter so is Mr. Jenkins who has done excellent work in congress, and there seems to be no good reason for retiring him.

The president has named Thursday, Nov. 20th, as Thanksgiving day, and it should be generally observed, as everyone has much to be thankful for.

Even the printers in this office may be thankful that their last paper for the month is out and mailed and that they may have a holiday and partake at their leisure whatever the neighbors send in to them.

The investigations into the affairs of life insurance companies are liable to extend to every company on the globe.

The results in the various probings thus far commenced has aroused the policy holders of all companies.

The purification will be beneficial and life insurance will come forth strong with the people, and really be of benefit to them.

The Metropolitan is the latest upon which the search light has been turned.

While our exchanges are well filled with news, none of them tell us whether we are to have Senator La Follette after congress meets or just Governor La Follette as we have had for more than four years, a terror to corporations who are practicing unjust discriminations, etc.

Of course these corporations would like to have him leave the executive chair, but dislike to have him go higher on the record he has made.

A chromo to the first man who can assure us what he will do.

W. B. Hearst is contesting the election of Mayor McEllan of New York City.

He charges fraud and intimidation of voters.

While the country generally has little confidence in young Mr. Hearst in his office-seeking attainments, there is a sentiment which demands fair play for Mr. Hearst.

Tammany would not hesitate to employ any means to elect its candidate, and under the stress of probable defeat, doubtless stole enough votes to count in its nominee.

Dowie, "the Elijah of the twentieth century," seems to be in extremely bad lines.

Last week he could not secure paper to print his "Leaves of Healing." And without this message to the faithful his mission will soon be ended.

It is wonderful, (and Dowie must be an extraordinary character) to think how this man has impressed and converted so many to his idiosyncrasies during the last fifteen years. One is almost ready to believe that no fake methods will ever be without followers, that the world is full of rainbow chasers, and all that is needed is for a "Jawie" to lead and impel the dormant forces to any foolish scheme that may be promulgated.

The democrats always plead for a non-partisan judiciary when they are in the minority in a circuit. But who ever heard of a Republican judge in a circuit where the democrats are in the majority?

Next spring an additional justice of the supreme court of the state will be elected, and the democrats are already claiming him on the grounds of "non-partisanship" in judiciary affairs.

It might seem fitting for the minority to say the "best man" rather than a party man, if they wish to sustain themselves in a "non-partisan" judiciary.

The democrats now have one-third of the supreme court. That is, justices Washburn and Dodge have always been justly classed as democrats.

The democrats had only one-third of Republicans and Democrats in the state in 1904, and as they now have one-third of the justices, it would give them more than their just representation to have their party man in 1905. So much for non-partisanship.

QUIT WHEN YOU ARE THROUGH.

—It is the remarks you keep on making after you are really through preach-

ing which tire your listeners," said a speaker in a Methodist conference. And this is a great truth, worthy of a place pasted in the hat of every preacher, of every speaker and of every writer. The trouble with speakers and writers is that they do not know when they have said or written enough. After delivering their message, they keep on and on, and it is mostly words lacking inspiration and wanting to auditor or reader. The greatest art of orator or writer is to leave something to the imagination, to trust a little to the intelligence. But it is an art that wonderfully few have acquired.

The preacher or orator who talks over time is apt to travel the same road over and over, and this destroys the effect of the points he has made.

And, perhaps, long sermons, and long and sometimes tedious opening of church services, too long scripture lessons, too long prayers, too long hymns and anthems, and finally too much time devoted to church notices, all combined make too long services, and keep away some people who cannot or will not give the time.

Then, the few profitable minutes for social words are lost, because the Sunday school commences promptly, and the minister has taken the time up to the hour when the school is entitled to begin.

Long, long services do more to make empty pews than any other factor.

LAY SERMON.

Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image. Exodus, 20:4.

It is reported that a man in Detroit has erected in his front yard a monument to Satan, to emphasize his contempt for religion. Presumably the character of the architect of that monument makes the act and its result peculiarly appropriate. A man who will not honor his patron saint is a sneak and an ingrate. Satan has his faults, but if he so manipulates his followers as to expose their real natures, and demonstrate to an astonished world what monumental fools he can make of them, he is certainly entitled to some credit.

This is a free country, thanks to the Lord and the Declaration of Independence. No man or tribunal has authority to say to us "believe or be damned." There is not enough of the old Puritan spirit left to arrest a man for "cussing" or kissing his wife on Sunday. Orthodoxy has ceased to be a test of citizenship or personality. That result is commendable to the extent that it eliminates hypocrisy. If a man prefers the service of Satan he need not steal the "livory of the court of heaven" to conceal his impious rights. He can go right along worshipping the cloven foot with none to molest or make him afraid.

The spirit of liberty is so firmly entrenched in this country that the most devout Christian respects an honest dissenter. Our opinions of and intercourse with our neighbors are unaffected by their religious beliefs. Manhood, like religion, is in the life. And while we should like to have every man believe in and exemplify the Christian religion, we could not if we would, and would not if we could invoke any compulsory process to force him to adopt our opinions. But there are some things which society has the right to demand of all its members. The unwritten law of decency is as mandatory as the canon against murder. No man has the right to commit offensive acts for the purpose of emphasizing his contempt for law or established custom. The man who demands tolerance must be tolerant. He who boasts of and flaunts his dissent from public opinion must do it decently and in order. Let him erect his idols and penate if he wants to. He can set them up in his front yard if he deems to make himself conspicuous, and he is not even bound to consult our aesthetic tastes in the form or style of his idols. But he has no moral right to insult or shock the community by displaying statuary that is indecent or repulsive. Let him erect the image of his friend and patron; but if that happens to be his Satanic Majesty, or any other enemy of mankind, he should at least have the grace to set up his idol in the back yard.

Freedom is one of the essentials of enlightened and progressive Christianity. Slavery, physical, intellectual or spiritual, is repellant to the spirit of the Master's teachings. Any system that cannot tolerate freedom of thought and conduct cannot long endure, and such a system deserves to perish. True government, whether of nation or church, preserves itself and controls its subjects because it respects and protects all the rights of all men. Hence the stability and predominance of free government rests on the respect it inspires, and for the enforcement of right and the suppression of wrong it can safely rely on the public opinion which itself creates.

There was a time when the demerit who erected and metaphorically bowed down before the image of Satan would have been arrested and punished. But happily that time is past. There is no power or disposition now to make martyrs of men, good or bad. The church does not need the planting of such seed for its growth and perpetuity, and respectable people have no inclination to strengthen and build up evil by persecuting the perpetrators of folly.

Yet if we read aright the lesson taught by this deity of Satan we may learn some things that will do us good. In certain types of men unlimited freedom is apt to incite the

spirit of license. Pride of opinion, if it does not create, at least fosters skepticism. This should teach us to be moderate and just in the use of our freedom. You may think what you please of your neighbor, but you don't have to go the whole length in saying what you think. You may be inclined to polemicize, to lay down like Socrates, that the stars in their courses will fight for you. But you will find your resources limited, and will be pretty sure to run up against a Jael who may drive a polemical nail into your theological head. The little outbreaks of scepticism cannot harm you or injure your cause. There is no need for argument. All religion rests upon a "thus saith" of some one, and anything farther in the way of controversy is superfluous. The only answer to the sceptic is the practical demonstration in our own conduct. A pure life gives the lie to every slander. A true Christian can point to his own transformation from evil to good as a conclusive answer to all aspersions.

Another thought is, how easy it is to erect monuments to Satan. Have we thought how liable we are to violate the second commandment? Unconsciously most of us have set up graven images of greater or less dimensions. The inordinate love of wealth, "raucous ambition," envy, jealousy, self-sufficiency, prevarication, innumerable faults, positive and negative, are but setting up our little monuments to the spirit of evil, and we can be assured that these oblations, great or small, will be eagerly accepted and promptly utilized. The danger to Christianity lies not in the assaults of its enemies, but in the faults and inconsistencies of its devotees; and vindication rests not upon our disputations, but upon the pure lives and well ordered conduct of those who profess to be its believers. Critics want to know what we do, not what we think; what we are, not what we profess to be. And just as soon as every Christian builds and dedicates to mankind the monument of a blameless life the occupation of the sceptic will be gone, and the Master will be crowned forever "Lord of all." So mote it be.

CHURCH NOTES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Service every Sunday at 10:45 a. m. in White's hall, North side. Subject of sermon for next Sunday: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy; or, Mesmerism and Hypnotism." The public cordially invited.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Morning worship, 10:30; Bible school, 11:45; North side primary school, 2 p. m.; Evening service, 7:30. Rev. A. G. Wilson.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Morning service and sermon, 10:30; Bible school, 11:45; evening service and sermon, 7:30; prayer service Thursday evening, 7:30. Rev. J. H. Girwood.

FREE METHODIST.

Preaching, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 12; preaching, 7:30 p. m.; mid-week prayer service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. L. Phillips.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Service 10:00 a. m.; Sunday School 11:30 a. m.; Service every Sunday at Scandinavian Hall near first railroad. Rev. J. DeJong.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Morning service, 10:30; Bible school, 12; Epworth League devotional service, 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30; mid-week prayer service, Thursday. Rev. Richard Evans.

ST. AUGUSTINE.

Holy Communion, 7:30; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30; Sunday school, 12; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30.

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ST. MARY'S. Sunday services: Low Mass, 8 a. m.; High Mass and sermon, 10 a. m.; Baptisms, 2 p. m.; Boys' Society meeting, 3 to 5:30. Vespers, 7 p. m.; Mass daily during the week, 8 a. m.; Saturdays, at the school chapel at 7. Rev. F. LUTSCHMANN.

SALVATION ARMY.

Sunday services, Sunday school, 2 p. m.; Christian praise service, 3 p. m.; salvation rally, 8 p. m. Services every night, except Monday, 8 p. m. Capt. Hocking and Wife.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY.

Anyone who desires to have a denominational or Union Sunday school in any neglected community where it is not convenient to attend their respective churches in this or any of the adjoining counties, may write to me and I will send you the opportunity to serve them. P. LaPort, American Sunday School Union Missionary, Rhinelander, Wis.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL ELECTION. The Common Council of the City of Rhinelander, Wisconsin, having by a resolution adopted on the seventh day of November, 1905, ordered that the question of the purchase of the waterworks plant now in operation in the City of Rhinelander be submitted to the electors of said city at a special election to be held on the twenty-eighth day of November, 1905. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the said City of Rhinelander, on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of November, 1905, to vote on said question of purchasing said waterworks plant, and election to be held at the polling places for the several voting precincts as specified below:

- 1st ward, Howe house No. 2.
 - 2nd ward, Brown Bros' boarding house.
 - 3rd ward, (Hilton House).
 - 4th ward, Howe house No. 1.
 - 5th ward, Rapids House sample room.
 - 6th ward, Roepcke Hall.
- The polls of the election will be open at six o'clock in the morning and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon of said day. Dated this 14th day of November, A. D. 1905.

GUST. SWEDBERG, City Clerk.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

At H. M. Bucks Clothing House

There has been a vast increase in our business the past year. A success that could only be attained by the selling of HONEST DEPENDABLE Merchandise. We appreciate your kind patronage and thank you most heartily. Two years ago when we first opened our doors to the public our competitors arrayed against us and predicted we would not last 6 months. Today we are the leaders of the clothing trade in this vicinity. We have built our business on good, honest foundations--our main object being to undersell the other fellow, and this you all know we have proven to you.

During this sale we throw the gates wide open and offer better bargains than are offered at any time. We want you all to join in and make this the greatest sale on record.

Sale begins Saturday, November 18th, and continues until Saturday, November 25th.

Watch for our circulars which will give you further particulars.

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CITY IMPROVEMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a contract has been let for macadamizing and the laying of curb and gutter on Third street from Anderson street to River street, Stevens street from Anderson street to Fairport street and Fairport street from Chicago and North Western Railway crossing to (Iroquois avenue) River street from a street to Anderson street; Anderson street from River street to Thayer street and Thayer street from Anderson street to the "new" Railway Crossing and that the expense of said improvement shall be charged to the real estate as determined as to each property and shall be paid by a written notice that they elect to pay the special assessments or a part thereof on their property, describing the same, on presentation of the certificate. Dated at the City Clerk's office in the city of Rhinelander, Wisconsin, this 7th day of Nov. A. D. 1905. GUST. SWEDBERG, City Clerk.

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Thanksgiving Day Rates.

One fare and one-third for the round trip between all stations. Tickets on sale Nov. 20th and 21st, good to return until December 4th, 1905. Ask the agent. n16-23.

Ma Goose to Date.

The world is getting its fill of insurance education these days. Even the children are on. We overheard some Newark youngsters sing-songing this bit of doggerel yesterday: "Hocus-pocus, yodivate, Jazze, juggle, operate, Con game, None to blame, Five and six is right." —Newark News.

Billions Attack Quickly Cured.

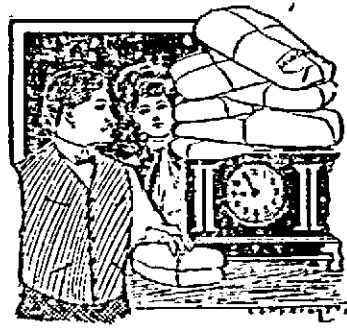
A few weeks ago I had a billions attack that was so severe I was not able to go to the office for two days. Failing to get relief from my family physician's treatment, I took three of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the next day I felt like a new man.—H. C. Bailey, Editor of the News, Chapin, S. C. These tablets are for sale by Andrie & Hinman.

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Absolutely Pure
HAS NO SUBSTITUTE
A Cream of Tartar Powder,
free from alum or phos-
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PERSONAL MENTION

John Barnes of Madia is in the city this week.
D. H. Walker is in Antigo this week on business.
Mrs. Max Ostrowski returned from Milwaukee Monday.
Mrs. H. E. Osborne and son are visiting relatives in Oconto.
Mrs. R. F. Tomkins spent Sunday with friends in Minneapolis.
Mrs. Ike and daughter Alice, did shopping in Rhinelander Monday.
B. F. Johnson of Menomonie transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. M. H. Thompson of Three Lakes is visiting friends in the city.
Miss Scope went to Arbor Vitae Saturday, returning Sunday night.
Jack Harrigan of Manitowish was in the city Saturday on business.
Mrs. T. B. McIndoe is visiting relatives and friends in Rochester, Mich.
Judge Silverthorn and court reporter Hart arrived Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Thorp of Oconto were Rhinelander callers this week.
T. J. Loughlin, ex sheriff of Vilas county, was in the city Saturday and Sunday.
L. C. Sorenson of Antigo was in the city on business the fore part of the week.

Attorney H. T. Ames of Minnoka is in the city on legal business this week.
Geo. Brown of Woodruff was here on court business the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Le Brush and Mrs. Hamline of Woodruff did shopping in Rhinelander Tuesday.
Mrs. Reuben Eppley of Minneapolis is visiting relatives and friends in Rhinelander.

Miss Anna Hunkett came up from Menomonie Saturday, returning Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Markham returned last week from a visit with friends in Park Falls.

Mrs. Joe Loughlin came down from Minnoka Saturday, returning on the afternoon train.
Al. Payment of Mercer visited among friends and transacted business in the city Saturday.

Miss Anna Jennings was here Saturday and Sunday for her weekly visit at the parental home.
Mrs. C. A. Carling left Thursday for a few days visit at the home of her parents in Fond du Lac.

A. F. Boelke, of Fond du Lac, father of Mrs. C. A. Carling, is spending a few days here in quest of deer.
Mrs. J. O'Leary, accompanied by her grand-daughter Agnes Dorwin, visited Mrs. C. M. Park last week.

Mrs. F. Schilling and children of Minnoka are visiting at the home of Richard Guldberg on the South Side.
The best toothache syrup for children is Morton's Laxative Worm Balm. Produces natural sleep, softens the gums and destroys all kinds of worms. See at J. J. Reardon's drug store, n-66.

The new German Lutheran church will be dedicated Sunday Nov. 25th. Services will be held in German in the morning and in English in the afternoon. A full account will appear in next week's issue.

If you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, sour stomach, or any other pains, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 25 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. J. Reardon.

Rhinelander Paper Company will be in the market for peeled hemlock logs and wood next winter to the possible exclusion of unpeeled hemlock. All jobbers are therefore urged to peel their hemlock this season. If

The young child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans, living on the South Side, had the misfortune last week to overturn the contents of the coffee pot upon herself, badly scalding her right arm. Medical aid was at once summoned and everything done to relieve the sufferings of the little one.

Stop paying rent, buy your own home on easy terms. See HARNES-WEAVER AGENCY.

HOUSE FOR SALE.
Good six room house on south side. Fine well. Call at once if you mean business.
n-16. R. L. HORE.

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It makes pure food.

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That can be found anywhere, in the latest shades, Plum Color, Brown and Black, and we would be pleased to show them.

And we have also just got in
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\$2.75 suits for **2.00** \$3.00 suits for **2.50**
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You can get fitted out in good shape for little money at this sale.

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All the Latest Books & Works of Fiction. Call and see them.
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NORTH SIDE CORRESPONDENCE.
Miss Harding, of Menomonie, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Jo. Gemaine. Mrs. L. Donahue, of Three Lakes, is here visiting her daughters, Mrs. Gill White and Mrs. Will Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hayford were pleasantly surprised Friday evening. About forty of their neighbors and friends gathered by the Salvation Army of which Mr. Hayford is a member, remembered it was the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage and poured into their house, bringing good things to eat and valuable presents in silver and linen. All report it an evening of royal entertainment.

Kirk White went to Effield, his old home, Saturday, to hunt deer with some of his old schoolmates.

Mrs. Chas. Bigelow returned Saturday from Stevens Point where she was visiting relatives and friends for two weeks.

About thirty of the Royal Neighbors surprised Miss Emma Skubal at the home of Mrs. A. Dufraim Friday, and presented her with a beautiful silver cake dish.

Souvenir cook books suitable for Christmas gifts at the Guild sale Nov. 29th.

DANGER
It is nearly time for the new power to take effect and then everybody will want some additional work done. When it
COMES
Is not the time to call, but now is the time to be thinking what changes or what new work you will want and get your order in before your neighbor gets ahead of you.
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orders come in they are taken care of in their turn and are
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THE CITY IN BRIEF

AMUSEMENTS.

Dance tonight, Gilligan's Hall.
F. O. E. dance, Armory, Nov. 17.
AT THE GRAND.
Frank E. Long, Nov. 20th.

Bargains in rugs at Mrs. W. D. Joslin's Nov. 22nd.

Mrs. K. L. Melndoe returned Monday night from a visit with relatives in Barron.

A. J. Lytle and wife of Norway, Mich., are visiting old friends in the city for a few days.

Sixteen inch or four foot slab wood, pine or mixed.
F. H. Jounsson Lumber Co.

Mrs. D. Hankin and son and Mrs. Shipman of Hockley were in the city shopping Monday.

Wm. Fuller, Principal of Eagle River High school was here Monday visiting the city schools.

Frank Bibby has moved his carpenter shop to 117 Stevens street just south of the Fuller House.

Why buy stale factory candles when you can get them fresh every day at Kirk's Bakery and Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Geo. Symonds, who has been visiting at the home of her brother Carroll Kinnard, left for her home in Toronto Thursday.

The ladies of St. Augustine's Guild will hold a fruit and rug sale at the home of Mrs. W. D. Joslin, November 22nd.

R. C. Dayton departed on the evening train Thursday for Chicago and Grand Rapids, Mich., on business for the Wisconsin Veneer Co.

Leslie Cohen returned from his vacation trip in Chicago and the east the latter part of last week, and is now back in his old position at H. Lewis'.

J. W. Anderson of Boscobel, father of Mrs. D. O. Dietzman, is spending a few days hereabout with his son, Harry Anderson, and Rev. Dietzman, on a hunting trip.

A. Hanson, the Three Lakes druggist and shoe man, drove over to the county seat Monday. He was accompanied by Ed. Gratton also of Three Lakes.

B. R. Lewis left for Chicago Monday night to meet Mrs. Lewis, who expected to leave that city Tuesday for Phoenix, Arizona, where she will spend the winter.

Nov. 29th is the date announced for the marriage of Miss Emma McRae and Wm. Kelley of Watermeet, Mich. The young friends of Miss McRae gave her a linen shower last Friday evening.

Dr. A. E. Rector of the firm of Doctors Morse & Rector, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialists of Appleton, Wis., will be at the Rapids House in Rhinelander, Tuesday, Nov. 21st.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what name the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 25 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. J. Reardon.

Rev. T. F. Murphy, pastor of the Congregational church at Prentice, will preach in exchange with Mr. Wilson next Sunday. Morning subject: "An Old Saying." Evening topic: "Think On These Things."

The ladies of the M. E. Church have postponed their Christmas bazaar one week as their dates conflicted with the Pribella sale. So please remember the date and place and keep in mind that you will be able to secure handsome gifts on Dec. 12-14 at the Shepherd building near Cole & Rogers' store.

Rev. D. O. Dietzman and party brought in three deer Monday.

Jul. Demare brought in a fine buck Monday, which he shot near Menominee.

Brasor's Orchestra played for a wedding in Three Lakes Wednesday night.

Mrs. Wm. Fisher and son Guy of Minnoka are visiting Rhinelander friends.

Buy your Thanksgiving dinner meat at the sale at Mrs. W. D. Joslin's.

D. Welch who is working at Ca- your spent Sunday with his family in this city.

The Catholic ladies will give a turkey supper at the Armory, Thanksgiving night, Nov. 20th.

Mrs. and Mrs. O. A. Kolden and daughter have been spending a few days with Eagle River friends.

Mrs. L. C. Nourse and Mrs. W. T. Bradley of Tomahawk, were guests last Sunday of Mrs. Wm. Eibel.

The game of basket ball between Company I team and Grandon resulted in a score of 22 to 17 in favor of Rhinelander.

Mrs. Jewett and Mrs. Kearns gave a china shower for Miss Emma McRae at the Jewett home on Anderson street, Monday evening.

L. H. Little, Gus. Melang, Harve Selick, Andrew Hanson and Emmet O'Leary were the Minnoka jurors who arrived Monday morning.

Russell J. Jouno, for the past six years a printer on the Minnoka Times, has accepted a position in the job department of the New North.

Chas. Hodgdon and F. P. Boynton are among those who were successful in quest of deer. The former bringing in a doe Monday and the latter a large buck.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 25 cents. Tea or Tablets. J. J. Reardon.

The Woman's Club will hold a social meeting at their rooms in the Public Library next Tuesday evening. This is the meeting to which the gentlemen are invited, and a play will be presented entitled "The Know-It-All Club."

Bishop Weller, Fond du Lac; Father Thoma, Marinette; Upjohn, Shawano; Sanborn, Oconto; and Ross, Ashland, are among the visiting clergy who are attending the Archdiocesan meeting here this week.

The Catholic ladies realized about ninety dollars at their rummage sale last week. This amount will be the beginning of a fund for St. Mary's school, and the ladies appreciate the kindness of their friends in making the sale a success.

Mrs. Mackenzie, who has spent the summer in this city with her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Gary, left yesterday for Madison where she will be a guest of her son's family. Mrs. Gary accompanied her as far as Tomahawk.

YOUR WIFE, GENTLEMEN, doesn't she deserve more pity? She gets mighty tired attending to her household duties. Why not relieve her of some of her burdens. Treat her now as you did before marriage; she deserves better treatment. You can save her much work, and beautify your home by presenting her with one of our high grade kitchen cabinets. We have a few left which we shall dispose of at factory prices. Kindly allow us to show them to you.
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The county board adjourned to meet Friday, Dec. 1st.

Glen Le Ross is now acting as night clerk at the Fuller House.

George Fessel is quite sick at his home on the South Side.

FOR SALE: New York Baldwin apples by the barrel. W. H. DENKER.

Mrs. A. Hanson of Minnoka is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Kirk.

Allie Young of Berlin is spending the hunting season with his cousin Lyall Peck.

Alderman C. F. Barnes has been confined to the house the past week with a severe cold.

Six lots at International Falls, Minn., for sale. Inquire at New North office.

Archibald Wright, A. W. Brown and Alex. McRae are spending a few days hunting near Oconto.

County Treasurer N. T. Baldwin showed up again Wednesday morning with a gun and two fine deer.

The best is none too good. Buy our fresh home made candles.
Kirk's BAKERY & CANDY KITCHEN.

Old carpets made into rugs by the Oakbrook Rug Co. Address, W. P. Fitcher, Alpine House, Nov. 21st.

Mrs. Charles Norquist, who has been very ill with typhoid fever at Mrs. A. Nelson's is slowly recovering.

Mrs. C. A. Wikson entertained a party of friends last Saturday evening at a card party in honor of Mrs. A. J. Lytle.

On Nov. 22nd come and take a cup of coffee with the ladies of St. Augustine's Guild at the home of Mrs. W. D. Joslin.

The Royal Neighbors are planning a banquet at their lodge rooms next Tuesday evening, with the Modern Woodmen as the guests of honor.

Constipation in children can be cured by a few doses of Morton's Laxative Worm Balm. The best vermifuge. See at Reardon's. n-66

The lecture by Bishop Schinner at the Armory last Sunday evening was quite well attended and netted quite an amount for the Catholic church.

W. L. Thomas who has been employed at the Rhinelander paper mill since last August, expects to leave for Niagara Falls, N. Y., in the near future.

There will be a quarterly meeting service at Menomonie Nov. 22, beginning with Love Feast at 7:30 p. m. followed by preaching by Rev. J. Torgensen and administration of the Sacrament.
E. A. WOLFE, Pastor.

A. A. Denton and son Louis of Eagle River, are in the city this week attending court in the capacity of witnesses in the Revolver shooting case. Louis Denton, it will be remembered, is the gentleman who was shot at Hites' Junction about a year ago just as he stepped off a C. & N. W. train.

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